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CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being DEFERRING to the above, Notice i landed at their risk into the Godowns the Hongkong and Kowloon, Whalf and RESPONSIBILITIES concerning the EASTERA Godown Co., at Kowloon, whende and/or MANUFACTURING COMPANY have from the Wharvos dolivery may be obtained This Day been TRANSFERRED to their Sole Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless Owners, the BADISCHE UHRENFA. notice to the contrary be given before 3 p.m. BRIK ACTIEN GESELLSCHAFT; at

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods THE EASTERN MANUFACTURING All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before COMPANY. the 10th Instant, or they will not be re

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Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL; CARLILL & Co., will Act as SECRETARY. By Order of the Board,

W. H. RAY Hongkong, April 3, 1894: MITTE Steamship Glencarn having arrived

of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being lauded at their risk into the Godowns of the Honogood and FOR SALE KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, Laurren, at Kowloon, whence delivery may optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before 2 p.m. To-DAX. Oargo remaining undelivered after the 9th Instant will be subject to rent. &c., &c., &c.

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Consigness are requested to present all
Claims for damages and/or shortages not
later that the 16th Instant, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, April 2, 1894. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

STEAMSHIP GHAZEE,

FROM LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS

No Claims will be admitted after the

TO-DAY.

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Hongkong, April 3, 1894.

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FROM LONDON AND STRAITS.

from the above Ports, Consignees

THE Company's 8.8. Wingsang having I arrived from the above Porte Consignoos of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from

Cargo impeding the discharge or remain-Inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

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THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

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Houskong, April 4, 1894 STEAMSHIP YARRA.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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MESDAY, the 11th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to ront, and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me un or before WEDNESDAY, the 11th Inst., or they will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined

on Tursday, the 10th Instant, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been affected. Agent

Hongkong, April 4, 1894 WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chiness,

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Nagasaki, Kobe, Thursday, May 3, Inland Sea and at 1 p.m.	HAMA. Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan.
China (via Nagasaki, Tuesday, May 15, Kobe, Inland Sea	Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United
and Yokohama) sat 1 p.m.	States Points should be in quadruplicate and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The Freight Agent
PIHE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO will be des-	Northern Pacific Railroad, Taccina, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office with
patched for SAN FRANCISCO, vid NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and	day previous to sailing.  For further information as to Passage of
YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, 12th April, at Daylight, taking Passongers and	Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.	Agents.  Hongkong, March 31, 1894. 528
Stoamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at	SHI WITAL SE
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Cauada. Rates may be obtained on application.  First Class Passengers have full choice of	INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT,  MEDITERRANEAN PORTS,
CENTRAL PACIFIC, SOUTHERN PACIFIC UNION PACIFIC NORTH-	PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA
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RAILWAY, on payment of \$10 in addition to the regular tariff rate.	THE Steamship ROHILLA, Captain V
Particulars of the various routes can be nad on application.  Special rates (first class only) are granted	Mails, will be despatched from the
Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China	for BOMBAY, on THURSDAY, the 12th April, at Noon, taking Passenger
and Japan, and to Government emclais and their families.	and Cargo for the above Ports. (The Steamer connects at Bombay with the
Through Bills of Lading issued for trans- portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and	S.S. HIMALAYA, which Vessel tak
Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinidad,	CANAL, leaving that port on the 5
and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico. Central and South America, by the Com- pany's and connecting Steamers.	Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France and Tea for London (under arrangement
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of same is required.  Consular Involces to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco	Parcels will be received at this Offi
in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San	contents and value of all packages of
Francisco.  For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the	Shippers are particularly requested
Company, No. 7, Praya Central.  J. S. VAN BUREN,	pany's Bills of Lading.
Agent.  Hongkong, March 24, 1894. 548	For further Particulars, apply to  H. H. JOSEPH,
	Superintendent.
Occidental & Oriental Steam- Ship Company.	Hongkong, March 30, 1894.
TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED	OOMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.
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ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING	MEDITERRANEAN AND
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HONOLULU.	PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.
Proposed Sallings from Hongkong.  Gaelic (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu)	Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.  Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 17th April, 1884. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)  Contents and value of Packages are required.  For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.  G. DE CHAMPKAUX,  Agent.
HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.	To-day's Advertisements.
England, France, and Germany by all trans- Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the prin- cipal cities of the United States or Canada.	

Rates and particulars of the various routes

Special rates (first class only) are granted

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to European officials in service of China

and Japan, and to Government officials and

Passengers who have paid full fare, re-

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L STEAMSHIP	PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.	FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. B	1
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ds from Hongrong.	Tacoma   Tuesday   July 20.	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Feneral Managers. 8	
THURSDAY, April 12, at daylight.	PANTON, R.N.R., sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 10th April, will proceed	Hongkong, April 7, 1894. 634 8	i,
THURSDAY, May 3,	to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA vid INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKO-	PUBLIC AUCTION 8	
at 1 p.m.	Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Can dian and	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, S COTTAGE PIANO, &c., &c.	,
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	DAKIN'S SALINE.	
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Pleasant and safe aperient. A for sea sickness, biliousness, slight eruptions on the skie, headache, &c. or two doses often ward off an attack of fover. 75 Cents per bottle.

### DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS At the change of the seasons people often

leave off their heavier clothes too soon and catch cold in the head. DAKIN'S BUCALYPTUS OIL sprinkled 1-1394, at Noon, the Company's on the handkerchief will relieve it LIKE Steamship OXUS, Commandant Duront, MAGIC. Per lbttle, 50 Cents and One

DARIN'S QUININE AND IRON TONIC gives health; strength and energy. Invalu- Cigars; for Port Said, 24 rolls Matting and cepted in transit through Marseilles for the able in TIBED AND LANGUID FEELING. Per 13 cases Sundries; for Herbertshoehe, 123 bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

### Cargo will be received on board until 4 Dakin, Cruickshank & Co., LIMITED. VICTORIA DISPENSARY,

m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 17th April, 1894. . (Parcels are not to be sent on board: they must be left at BONGKONG. Contents and value of Packages are re-

Not Responsible for Debts. any Debt contracted by the Officers or | Chinaware : for London, 50 bales Waste Crew of the following Vessels, during Silk and I cass Silk Piece Goods. their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-SAMANTHA, Brit. 4-masted barque, Capt.

D. P. Corwe.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. April 6:-

Fannie Skolfield, American barque, 1,068, W. E. Sherman, Singapore February 18, TNFORMATION has been Received from Timber.-CHOO SHONG HING. the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that April 7:-Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, ARTILLERY PRACTICE from the Batteries will take place as under, from the Sikh, British steamer, 1,736, J. Rowley, 9TH to 14TH INSTANT, between the hours of Saigon April 3, noon, Rice. - Dodwall, CARLILL & Co.

> Kwang Yeh, Chinese gunboat, from Can-Taksang, British steamer, 977, W. H. Freeman, Wuhu March 31 and Chingkiang April 2, General. - JARDINE, MATERSON &

Bengo, Portuguese gunboat, 400, Capt. Carvalhosa de Athayde, Macao April 7. Consular Involces to accompany Cargo chere are warned to keep their glass windows Jacob Diederichson, German steamer, destined to points beyond San Francisco, open during the practice, and all people fr m Canton. which will be indicated by gunners placed Avochie, for Saigon.

Hailan, for Swatow. Decime for Saigon Hanoi, for Haiphong. Altair, for Mantung. Ethiops, for Saigon. Mount Washington, for Knichinotzu. 639 And do, for Manila.

Destination	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
London & Rotterdam. Marseilles, v. Saigon New York, v. Suez Canal New York. Port Darwin, &c. B. Francisco, v. Japan Shanghai Shanghai Shanghai and Kobé. S'pore, Havre & H'burg S'pore, Penang & O'tt Straits, Col'bo & B'bay	Accons (s) Robilla (s) Ixion (s) Aden (s) Clax (s) Oxus (s) Port Phillip (s) Edward May Taiyuau (s) Cityof Riode Janeiro(s) Gaelio (s) Surat (s) Vindobona (s) Vindobona (s) Vindobona (s) Haitan (s) Empress of China (s) Victoria (s)	Shewan & Co. Messageries Maritimes Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Shewan & Co. Butterfield & Swire. Pacific Mail S. S. Co. O. & O. S. S. Co. P. & O. S. N. Co. Norddeutscher Lloyd. Sander & Co.	April 14, daylight, April 12, at noon. April 14. About April 17. About April 25. April 18, at noon. Quick despatch. Quick despatch. April 18. April 18. April 12, daylight April 25, daylight April 25, daylight About April 8. Quick despatch. About April 14. April 13, at 4 p.m. April 13, at noon. April 10, at noon. April 11, at noon. April 10, at noon.

DEPARTURES.	POST OFFICE NOTICES.
April 7:-	MAILS will close:
Gwalier, for Nagasaki.	For NAGASARI, KOBE & YOKOHAI
Java, for Singapore and London.	Per Verona, at 5 p.m., on Friday,
Taksang, for Canton.	13th April
Chow Fa, for Singapore.	For EUROPE, &c
Ningpo, for Shanghai.	Per Suchsen, at 2.30 p.m., on Mond
Canton, for Swatow.	the 30th inst.
F rmosa, for Amoy.	
Nanshau, for Swatow.	
Ratiles Ruitish comboat, for Macao.	MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC R.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Sikh, from Saigon, Mr D. H. Mackintosh. Per Fannie Skolfield, from Singapore, Mrs Sherman, family and maid. Per Taksang, from Wuhu, &c., Mr D.

DEPARTED. Per Ningpo, for Shanghai, 20 Chinese. Per Canton, for Swatow, 107 Chinese. Per Formosa, for Amoy, 20 Chinese. Por Nanshan, for Swatow, 100 Chinese. TO DEPART.

Per Haitan, for Swatow, 2 Europeans, and 100 Ohinese. Per Decima, for Saigon, 50 Chinese. Per Ethione, for Saigon, 12 Chinese. Per Hanoi, for Hoihow, Mr and Mrs F. J. Marshall, and 60 Chinese ; for Haiphong, Malon, Messre L. Fags, Amok, Flint, and 5.00 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres-Mr and Mrs Beauchamp, Mr and Mrs 10 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Sikh reports: Had ligh variable winds and calm throughout. The American barque Fannie Skolfield re- Point and steamers in Harbour may be ports: From Singapore to North Danger, posted in the General Post Office up to with one exception of 4 days, moderate N.E. 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. monsoon, with clear weather; thence to Cape Bolinao, light Northerly winds; thence posted in the Letter Box which has been to port, light variable winds and calms. placed in the Police Station Compound up March 7th, spoke Mary L. Stone, from to 12 and 4 o'clock. Manila, bound to United States, 5 days out, lat. 10 00 N., long. 109:00 E. The British steamer Taksang reports :

Chelang Point; thence to arrival, very them. thick heavy rain, continuous vivid lightning and heavy thunder. Wind S.E'ly to Turnabout ; thence to arrival N.E'ly.

EXPORT CARGOES. Per s. s. Oanfa, saited 31st March :- For London, 170 pkgs. Canes, 170 cases Palm Leaf Fans, 150 casks Merchandise, 110 cases Chinaware, 50 rolls Matting, 9 cases Mr J. do Rego Barros Mr C. Mattil Blackwoodware and 5 pkgs. Sundries. Per s. s. Bellona, sailed 3rd April :-From Hongkong: for Havre, 15 cases Blackwoodware. 204 cases Camphor. 50 bales. Canes, 200 rolls Matting, 5 cases Human Hair, 100 boxes Staraniseed and 84 cases Chinaware; for Havre option Hamburg, 47 cases Camphor, 320 rolls Matting and 100 Mr and Mrs CarmentMr T. Mitchell cases Cassia Buda ; for Havre option Harnburg option London, 7 boxes Essential Oil; Miss Carment Paper, 405 boxes Camphor, 217 bales Fieet-Surgeon Cross, sop Feathers, 225 cases Gallnuts, 35 cases Bris-

tles, 200 boxes Starauiseed, 93 rolls Matting, Mr H. C. Dring 167 pkgs. Caues, 30 pkgs. Private Effects. Mr. Mrs W. DrysdaleMr W. Parfitt 18 skgs. Carios, 824 pkgs. Merchandise and Mr. W. A. Duff pkgs. Sundries; for Hamburg option Mr G. Fenwick London, 2 cases Bristles. Per s. s. Karlsruhe, sailed 3 April :- For 10 bags Rice, 11 pkgs. Merchandise and 9 boxes Fire Crackers; for Alexandria, 100 Mr W. Galva cases Fire Crackers ; for Hamburg, 35 bales Rattan Shavings, 5 cases Human Hair, 9 Cases Merchandise, 430 pkgs. Fire Crackers and 4 cases Cigare; for Aden, 250 bags Sugar and 60 cases Preserves Tea; for Autworp, 32 cases Rattan Core, 114 bales. Rattan Core, 152 cases Chinaware, 28 rolls Mats, 39 cases Merchandise and I case pkgs. Merchandise; for Genos/Hamburg, 10 boxes Essential Oil; for Amsterdam, 46 rolls Matting, 4 cases Chinaware and 17 Cases Merchandise; for Amsterdam/Rotter- Mr. C. W. Johnson dam, 50 casks Ginger; for Bremen, 42 Mr M. Jones pkgs. Bamboo Ware, 9 cases Curios, 296 Mr J. Kinghorn rolls Matting, 33 cases Chinaware and 1 631 case Merchandise; for London, I case Mr J. Kirkwood Treasure valued at \$97,80 :; for Singapore, Baron and BaronessMr W. Williams 4 pkgs. Merchandiss.

Pe s. s. Caledonien, sailed 4th April :--For Continent, 554 bales Raw Silk, 19 bales | Mr R. Lyall Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Hair, 8 cases Silk Piece Goods, 2 cases Owners will be Responsible for Essential Oil, 9 cases Plants and 1 case

POST OFFICE NOTICES MAILS will close:-For HOIHOW & HAIPHONG.-Per Hanoi, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 8th inst.

For CANTON. --Per Powan, at 9 s.m., on Sunday, the R.N. 8th inst. A fact the state of the state of For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. - Cohen Per Haitan, at 11.80 s.m., on Monday, Mr J. B. Coughtrie Mrs Tuffnell the 9th inth, instead of as previously Mr and Mrs F. Dod.Mr G. Veitch notified. For SAIGON .-

Per Holstein, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 9th inst. For AMOY & MANILA .-Per Esmeralda, at 4.80 p.m., on Monday, Mr. Geo. Banker the 9th just. Mr C. C. Bowman Mr E. Huneche For HOIHOW & PAKHOL. Per Frejr, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the Mr Geoge Caulton Mr F. Romero

For KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA & Mr. C. H. Dodd Mr. J. F. East. TACOMA. Per Victoria, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, Mr W. Esparahot the 10th April. For SINGAPORE. PENANG & CAL-Per Wingsang, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, Mr and Mrs Geo.Mr J. C. Murray FOR SINGAPORE.

as follows :-

O Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra apperior, Violet

at the Coast Ports. SHERRY. Per doz. Case.

B Superior Pale Dry, dinner WAY Co.'s PACKET .--C Manzanilla, Pale Natural The British Contract Packet Empress of China will be despatched on WEDNES. CO Superior Old Dry, Pale DAY, the 11th April, with Mails Natural Sherry, Red for Shanghai, Japan, Canada, the United States of America, and countries D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old wine. beyond, vid Vancouver, B.C. The following hours will be observed in E Extra Superior Old Pale closing the Mails, &c .--10 A.M. Registry closes. Dry, very finest quality, 11.30 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres-

pondence may be posted on board the Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until time of departure. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.-Sample bottles and smaller quantities The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de will be supplied at proportionate wholesale Janeiro will be despatched on WED. NESDAY, the 11th Instant, with Mails rates.

which will be closed as follows :-.45 P.M. Registry cesses. Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure.

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Letters Parcels, &c., for Kowloon Letters from Kowloon Point may be

Local rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their Fog from Steep Island to the vicinity of stamps by writing the word stamped across of the juice of the grape, and are not arti-Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery is generally the case with cheap Wines. &c. should be registered.

There will be no Sunday delivery.

VISITORS AT HOTELS. HONGKONG HOTEL. Mr and Mrs AshmoroMr W. C. Macnaugh-Mr H. O. de Barreto ten Rev. S. F. Baylee Mr and Mrs Marten Mr R. Benchr Mr and Mrs Beau-Mrs H. | McQuade Mr and Mrs W. Mo-Mr J. S. Bruce Quade Mr J. McWilliams Capt. Caldbeck Mr T. Morony Rev. J. M. Morton for Hamburg, 16 boxes Cassia Oil, 2 boxes Mr.O. N. Charrington Mr. J. Fietcher Mos Mr F. Murray Mr J. E. Otto Mr V. Perkes Mr and Mrs F. von der - Pfordien and 2 chil-Mr W. H. Fisher Colombo, 62 cases Ginger, 30 rolls Matting, Mr M. F. A. Fraser Mr and Mrs S. L. Mt G. L. Ross Mr O. Rows Mr S. Rustomjee BlackMr and Mrs T. E. Me and Mes Bansom Hawking BlackMr F. E. Shean The Misses Mr C. E. Silber Hawkins Capt. Henderson. B. N. Mr A. J. Sisson

> Mr W. Tobb Miss M. Tobb. Mr A. B. Thomson Capt, Tillett Mr F. W. Wilkinson Capt. and Mrs Wrottesley, B. E. MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL. Mr J. Ross Anton Mr and Mrs H. Hum-Mr and Mrs John phreys &3 children Andrew and child Mr Chantrey Inchbald Mr C. Malach Mr H. E. Boxshall Mr A. P. MacEwen Mr and Mrs D. R. Mr H. F. Meyerink Mr & Mrs H. W. Paul Brown Mrs Poste Mr Hart Buck Mr J. G. T. Buckle Mr James Rankin Dr and Mrs Cantlle Mr C. S. Taylor Mr C. H. Cleverton, Mr J. Thurburen Miss T. A. Trapp Mr and Mrs C. O. Lieut. - Commander well and children Mr J. Y. V. Vernon Mr T. E. Griffith Mr A. G. Wood

Mr and Mrs R. Hul-Mr O. H. Starkey

Capt. G. Tayler

VIOTORIA HOTEL Mrs Farmer Capt. Anderson Mr Giese Mr Fred. W. Carey Mr Iseyekohi 9th inst., instead of as previously Mr.E.C. Comar Mr Santos notified. Capt. van Corbach Mr Th. Tatlock Mr Thos. Mook Mr E. Townchend Mr B. Varquez

Mr J. Chaudet Capt. and Mrs Moore Per Niobe, at 3.80 p.m., on Friday, the Mr MacLean Mr Stokes Capt, & Mrs Wolman . Whisky in the Colony.

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AND SPIRITS. PRICES OF OUR WINES AND SPIRITS WILL be

(For Invalids and general Use). B Vintage, superior quality, 

Capsule (Old Bottled) ... 20.40 Port after removal should be rested to a month before use. Wine required for drinking at once should be ordered to be decanted at the Dispensary before sent out. These wines are too well known to need

Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at propertionate wholesale We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony or from our authorised Agents

wine, Green Seal Capsule 10.80 Sherry, White Capsule ... 12.00

Seal Capsule ...... 12.00 White Seal Capsule ..... 14.40

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Case. Case. 1 doz. 2 doz. Quarts. Pints. B St. Estephe, Red Capsule...\$ 6.96 7.56 9.00 9.60 C St. Julien, Red Capsule .... D La Rose, Red Capsule ..... 12.96 13.92

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A John Jameson's Old Green B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule........... 15.00 O John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capatile 18.00

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Genuine Bourbon Whisky, Fine Old, Red Capenle,

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MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping. Noon. - Haitan leaves for Coast Ports. Miscellaneous

8 a.m. -Artillery Practice. Goods per Glencam undelivered after this

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Home.—Service on Sunday, at 11 a.w. and 6.30 P.M. The Holy Communion is administer-7.20 7.92 ed on the let and 3rd Sundays in the month at 9.60 10.44 11 a.m.; on the 2nd and 5th at 7.30 a.m.; and WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH .- Divine Ser-

GERMAN BETHERDA CRAPEL Service in the German language by Pastor R. F. F. Gottschelk every Sanday, at 11 A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, West Point.

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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1894. TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE CRIMA MAIL."

> (Via Southern Line). SEAL FISHERIES

London, April 5.

The Bill, introduced by Sir Charles Russell to legalise the award of the Behring Sea Commissioners and regulate future wine ...... 21.00 22.20 sealing in these waters, has passed the second reading in the House of Commons. THE PARIS OUTRAGE.

The force of the recent bomb explosion in Paris was something terrific. Many windows were smashed in the Senate House, and windows were also destroyed by hundreds elsewhere in the street.

ARREST OF AN ANABOHIST.

The anarchiat Meunier, believed to be implicated in the Paris explosion, was arrested in London and offered a desperate resistance. How many words are included in the voca-

bulary of ordinary persons ? Professor Max Miller thinks a farm labourer would not have more than three hundred words in actual use, and the same writer declares that a well-educated man, who has been at the University, and who reads the Bible, Shakespeare, and the daily papers, tegether with circulating library books, seldom uses more than three or four hundred words in actual conversation. A contributor to Cassel's Saturday Journal has been at conuiderable pains to check these theories, and the conclusion he arrives at in that the figures given are too small. Farm bands, he finds, are able to name all the common objects of the farm, and to do this involves the use of more than the entire number of three hundred words allouted to them. Then, by going through a dictionary and excluding compound words, or words not in pretty constant use, he found that there were under the latter 's' slone 1.018 words that are to be found in ordinary people's vocabulary, It would be neares the truth, we are told, to say that the agricultural labourer uses 1,500 words, and knows or can guess the meaning of 1,500 more, and that intelligent farm hands and artisans command 4,000 words, while adu-Our lowest priced Whisky is of excellent cated people have at call from 8,000, to 10.000. Journalists are credited with

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PARSED SUEZ CANAL

Strathdes, 23; Strathleven, Vindobona. March 2 | Castleventry, Maple Branch, 6: Woolwich, Yarrowdale, Abergeldie, Ajax, 13; Wysses, 9: Angers, Ashdown, 20; Benledi, Radnorshire. Jopan, Natal, Palamed, Bushmills, Salatiga, Gisela, 27.

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Stentor, Flintshire March 2 : Bullmouth, 16; Aglaia, 20

The N. L. Co.'s a. s. Sachsen, with GERMAN MAIL of March 12, left Singapora on Thursday, April 5, at 9 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, April 10.

The O. & O. m. b. Gaelie, with the AMERI-CAN MAIL of Mar. 20, left Yokohama on Saturday, April 7, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, April 12.

dic. left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on March 29.

The C. P. R. . S. Empress of India left Vancouver for Hongroug on April 3. The P. M. extra steamer City of Sydney, with mails, &c., left Ban Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on April 4. The N. P. a. s. Tacoma sailed from Victoria, B.O., for Japan and Hong-

The Ban Line s.s. Benlawers, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore for this port on April 4, and may be expected here on or about April 10.

kong on the morning of the oth Apr.

The D. D. R. L. Cocana, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on April 4th, and may be expected here | vants.' Fine \$25. on or about 11th April. The Glan Line steamship Glenfruin, from In connection with the water question, the London and Straits, left Singapore on

on or about April 11. The P. & O. e. a. Japan left Bombay for this port on April 6.

ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL -UND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER. Matins :- Venite, Hayes; Pasles, Turle; Te Deum, 59, Stainer ; Benedictus, Barnby; Anthem, 21, 11 lift will up mine eyes; Litany; Hymne, 478,

Evensong :- Pealms, Goss, Foster, Scaper; Cantate. Woodward : Deus Miserestur, Hopkins; Anthem, 15, Holiest, breathe an evening blessing; Hymns, 241, 252.

WHICH GRUNCH .-- SUNDAY, APRIL 8, 11 A.M. Hymns, 274, 292, 386; Psalm, 116.

WESLEYAN METHODEST CHURCH, WANCELL.-SUNDAY, APRIL STH. 10.30 a.m.: -Hymns, 824, 822, 838, 535. 6 p.m.:-Hymns, 178, 420, 331, 357

Pualma, XL, XLI.

THE English mail steamer Surate is coming ber .01, av. 5.53. in as we go to press.

Wirnin the last few days several Chinese of the cotton plant, in order to test its have been brought before the Magistrates, merits side by side with Egyptian and charged with injecting morphine. The invariable fine imposed is \$25.

To-MORROW morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam-launch Dayspring, carry- the result of careful observation of the ing the Bethel fing, will call alongside any Pope's condition on both occasions, Father vessel hoisting cods pennant C., to convey men ashore to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's | century. (Seamon's) Church, returning about 12.30.

THREE Portuguese schoolboys were brought title of "Gibraltar," whose members will before Mr H. E. Wodehouse at the Magis- comprise personages distinguished for their tracy this morning charged with damaging trees on Robinson Road. Two lukongs said the accused were pelting the trees for the purpose of getting the buds. His Worship cautioned the accused and diamissed them without punishment.

This morning at the Magistracy, before Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, Tam Chun, boilermaker, was charged with threatening and intimidating workmen in the Royal Naval Dockyard. Mr J. Hastings (of Mr V. H. - Descon's office) appeared for the accused. The complament, Chin Chan, boilermaker of friends, scattering his money right and at the Naval Dockyard, said-On the 25th March at 9 a,m, I met the defendant Tai Wong Street. He stopped me. said When you looked for work why did you not tell A On I meaning Wong a Wan, Two years ago he broke down in health, his head boilermaker, at the Naval Yard. said Why should I do so? There is a notice there telling me not to.' He said | to Colorado, where he died. \*If you go to work and do not tell A On gou be careful. The defendant has threaour wages, and the Commodore has prohibited it. The defendant made on explanation, and was bound over in two sureties of \$25 cach to be of good behaviour for six months, in default to be committed. Subsequently one surety was allowed.

CONSTABLE Colin Rec at the Magistracy ad kerosine tins. Mr J. Hastings (of Me V. H. Deacon's office) appeared for the defence. Constable Bas stated there were two piles of tine on the wharf, consisting of nearly 1800 5-gallon tine, partly under tar-One of the time was looking on the Wharf. The steamer Trilos was lying alongside the Wharf. He went on board the steamer and found a large number of pessengers on the main deck. There were alonguide the ship six cargo boats laden Complaints, Bilionsness, Headache, Sickness, given by the defendants that the offence Roughness and Sourf, So., leaving a clear, spot-would not be committed again, and as the less fikin and heartiful Complexion. Suisheline is a necessity for the Skin, especially in hot pelice did not press for a penalty the care was districted by Mr Wadshouse.

THE P. & O. S. N. Company's S. S. Japan left Bombay for this port on the 6th inst.

OUTWARD BOURD :- Rutherglen, Feb. 16; A CHINESE schoolboy who was found on Pedder's Wharf by Constable Mckwoo yesterday afternoon, with a revolver and ammunition in his possession, was brought before Mr H. E. Wodehouse at the Magistracy to-day charged with carrying arms without a license. The accused, who is 18 years of age, stated that he was going Poseidon, Benvenue, Glenshiel, Keemun, to amuse himself. His Worship thought the accused might amoss himself just as well and with more safety to the community without a revolver, and he, accordingly, ordered the forfeiture of the dangerous toy, and fined the schoolboy \$5. The fine was paid.

Ma E. Roso, overseer, Water Department, at the Magistracy this morning, charged He Cheung Shu. Jervois Street, with The P. M. a. s. City of Peking, with mails, | negligently allowing the water in house No. 1 Jervois Street to be wasted by failing to close the bib-taps thereof, on the 4th inst.' W. F. Bamsey stated that at \$ a.m. on 4th inst. he noticed a quantity of water flowing from the down spont of No. 1 Jervois Street. He entered the house. and on the first floor found a tap running into a tub. The tub was overflowing, and the water running into the down apout. The defendant is the occupant of the first floor. There was another tap on the root of the same house also running to waste. The defendant said that the first floor tap was his, and the upper floor tap his ser-

following figures of Hongkong rainfail com-April 5, and may be expected here piled from the Observatory publications, may be of interest. The rainfall for 1893 was not abnormal, being 90.95 inches against the average of 95.43 for the 41 years, 1853-93. The winter has, however, been remarkably dry, there having been recorded only 1.82 inches in the 5 months Nov. 1893-March 1894, against an average of 7.54 inches for the same months in the last 41 years. During this period, the winters (Nov.-Mar.) of 1871-2 and 1872-3 are the only ones in which the dryness of last winter has been equalled, the amounts being 1.62 and 1.55 inches, respectively. The winter of 1890-01, when our last serious water famine occurred, though not so dry as the one just past (4.24 inches Nov.-Mar.) followed a very dry summer and autumn, the total rainfall for the year 1890 being only 70.93 inches (average August had 8.95 inches, av. 14.63; September, 1.90, av. 12.57; Octo-

> Tourin agriculturists are experimenting with Chinese and other Asiatic varieties American sotton.

FATRER Kneipp, of water-ours calebrity, who was received in audience by the Pope some days ago, has since visited his Holiness in the quality of medical advisor. As Kueipp has given it as his opinion that his Holiness may live beyond the and of the

THE Globe states that there is about to be formed in Madrid an association under the patriotism, integrity, and learning. Its principal object will be to obtain the retrocession of Gibraltar to Spain, and it will have numerous branches in the pro-

A REMARKABLE career was recently closed in Denver, Colorado, by the death of ' Billy Denisch. Twenty-one years ago he bought for £200 the well-known play of The Mighty Dollar, and, thanks to the ability of the late W. J. Florance, during the pext five years made out of this investment of £200 a sum said to exceed £25,000. With this money he took to gambling. Fortunate in his gambling ventures, he travelled about the Continent in royal fashion, with his retinue of servants, horses, carriages, and a party left. In a year his winnings all disappeared, and he once more had recourse in to the gaming-table, first at Monte Carlo He and then in Paris. Success again crowned his efforts, and he returned to the United States with a cash capital of £100,000. . I money took wings, and charity was asked to put him in a sanstorium. Consumption developing, money was raised to send him

THERE has just been presented to Parliament in connection with the Labour tened to take my life. A On takes part of Commission, says the Daily Telegraph, what really amounts to a new Slang Dictionary. It is a glossary of the technical words used in the evidence siresdy given, which amount to more than two thousand. When a witness made use of one of these picturesque terms, the highly sensible plan was adopted of writing and asking him what he meant by it; and this source of knowledge has been supplemented by consulting members of the committee and standard dictionaries. 'Oncost men,' it is useful to this morning brought a charge against know, are men who work for day wages. A fogger, is a middleman in the usil and Messrs Arnhold, Karberg and Co., Praya chain trade. A hanson is technically Central, of having, at Tai-kok-tsui wharf, known as a 'showful.' A cabman who on the night of 27th and 28th March, stor- owns the vehicle he drives is a little mush, while an inexperienced Jehn may be either a gardner or a whack. The glossary even acquaints Parliament and the world with the fact that booze is derived from the Arabic name for beer : and the young member burning to know precisely what a scalliwag may be will have his curiosity satisfied. Even Blue Books nowadays breathe the democratio

> LIVER COMPLAINTS. -Dr King's Dandelion and Quinine Liver Pills, without Meroury, are a Shoulder Pains, Heartburn, Indigestion, Comstipation. Made only in London. Hold every-

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'PRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the heavy showers overnight will probably come, like certain pen-points, as a boon to men.

That the accounts of last Thursday's old residents shricking which howling and accompanied or followed big fires during the dry season some twenty-five Venie bico.

That the searcity of water then was comprehensible, as Pokfulum was the only storage which then existed, and the Tytam lake (price, Goodness knows how much) was not made. That it may be the Water Authority was

right in refusing to stand by and turn on fresh water whenever a fire took place. That, failing such a provision, however, it might fairly be asked why the Floating Fire Engine was not called into service during the time of drought, and sea water kept handy for fires.

That somehow foresight is not included in the qualities of the average official-or it may be, divided responsibility is again the cause of a heavy loss of property. That it is to be hoped the statement is un-

true,-that the Government objected to the consumption of a tou or two of soal 6-4, 6-4, for the Floating Fire Engine. That whoever is responsible for this cheeseparing policy, deserves the severest con-

sure; but then it is always difficult if not impossible to affix blame upon any That I believe the Fire Brigade worked wall

with the material it had, but it is not an easy thing to put out a fire without That, even although the water famine may be staved off for another year, this soarcity of water ought to form the subject of

thorough investigation. That our great sugar industries are either corrying out or meditating the making o arrangements for securing an independent water supply, and this course may ease off the consumption of water in the

That, notwithstanding this and other con- was held on the Happy Valley this after. good third. Time-2mins, 49secs. dry season. siderations, there is a mystery surround- noon. ing the repeated threats of water famine here which ought to be cleared up.

That neither the Water works nor the Drainage works of late years in Hongkong baye been as estisfactory as their cost might have led the ratepayers to

That it would be interesting to know what Mr Price and Mr Chadwick now think of these noble and costly pieces of angineering skill. That we owe a debt of gratitude to the Polo

Club, because its Sky Meetings are almost a certain precursor of rain; and it cannot be doubted the rainfall meets a more generally-felt want than the races,

That the Living Chess Tournament just met with had it not been successfully pulled off on Saturday last. That the Living Warwork show Hacienda was unique of its kind, and the Living Chess was even a greater novelty

and quite as great a success. That a prettier seene could not have been seen in more beautiful surroundings than the Tournament shown on the East Point

feeble ides of the beauty of the ploture presented by the gorgeously-dressed pieces, heralds, players, and pages, set and framed as it was the prettily-wooded laws of the East Point house. That the large number of speciators proved how fully the public appreciated the efforts of the promoters of this outertainment, and I believe the result in a

That I hear a few sketches of the tournsment will probably appear in the London pictorial papers.

That the so-called Retrenchment Commission is reported to be hard at work, but it is not believed the amalgamation of the Bosts of Colonial Secretary and Registrar General has yet been decided upon, nor that the posts of Governor of the Colony and Governor of the Gaol should be filled by one and the same official. That I observe your morning contempor-

Commission by one or two suggestions. That the point which was sought to be made some years ago in connection with the Chief Justices of Hongkong and Shanghai was, if I remember correctly, the fermation of a Court of Appeal for H. B. M. subjects in the Far East. That I doubt if any idea of amalgamating

the two benches into one, for ordinary work, was ever serionaly entertained and any one who knows the condition and carroundings of the two offices could not with becoming gravity encourage any such notion. That the extent of the circuit of a Chie

Hongkong would be fatal to the despatch of business, and the delays of law would be far worse than now. That, in fest, I do not see how the thing would work, and your morning contemporary had better suggest something

Justice doing duty for China, Japan and

That the suggestion, made about the same time, and promptly est upon, to make Hongkong a Teaty Port, was on a parwith this amalgamation folly. That I see the Government have at last,

after considerable delay, done the right thing in the case of Mr Logan, the opium ! wetchman employed by the Canton River Steamer Company. That it may be remembered this officer was employed by the Steamer Company to assist his employers in preventing opium-

amuggling on board their vessels. That the interests of the Opium Farmer and those of Mr Logan proved, curiously spough, antegonistic, and in the execution of his duty Logan rendered himself liable to damages. That the case was a very hard one, for the man, upon pleading poverty, was impri-

soned and his farniture was sold under distraint to recover. That at the time it was deemed strange the Steamer Company did not come to the resous of their servant, but as a matter of principle the law was allowed to take

Whitehead will please note).

That unfortunately the tations pieces of green and smoked glass propared for the eclipse of the sun were of no use. That old Siol got through his eclipse, so far as Hongkong was concerned, behind the scenes ; and our finely-furnished Observatory was not called upon to report on the

that I see the Honorary Scoretary of the Anti-Opium Seciety has been giving you his views on the Opium Commission Mr Blank's Exile, Nominated by Mrs evidence taken in India.

That his statement, from his point of viet looks fair and moderately reasonable, but he must have greater faith in Chines. officialdom than China residents have, i he fancies the mandarine ere likely to prohibit the growth of opium:

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Regulta:-Profession Pairs\_S. G. Bird and H. Slade beat Dr Lowson and Dr Meaden, 8-8. 6.2 : and will now meet J. H. Perry and 0. O. Platt in the final.

A Class Handicap-C. C. Platt soratche o B. J. Griet. B Claim Handicap-J. A. Jupp beat W 3. Darby 7-5, 7-5. H. Humphreys beat G.

W. Millward 6-4, 5-7, 6-4. Double Haudicap-E. A. Ram and T. Sercombe Smith best E. W. Mitchell and A. G. Wiss, 6-4, 6-4. W. G. Darby and S. L. Darby beat Maclean and C. F. Herton

HONGKONG POLO CLUB.

SKY MEETING, 1894. President :- His Excellency Sir William Robinson, K.C.M.G. Patrona :- His Excellency Vice-Admiral The Hon. Sir E. R. Fremantie, K.C.B.; (Capt. Thomas)
His Excellency Major-General Digby Mr. J. D. Humphreys' Swift, 10.9, ......

Committee :- The Hon. T. H. head, Captain A. H. Thomas, A.S.O.; Captain W. H. Murray, C. E. Ruck-Koene, Mr Cruickshank's Gungadeen, 10.12, ...

Honorary Secretary and Treasurer :- F. H. May, Esq. Jud e :- Major Acheson Lyle, S.L.L. Starter :- H. E. R. Hunter, Bag. Clerk of Youles :- Captain W. H., Murray.

Clerk of the Course :- Cantain A. H. Handicappers :- The Hon. J. J. wick, T. F. Hough, Esq.

-- Saturdey, April 7.

Below are details of the various events :-HALF-MILE RACE, prize presented; for al China ponies; weight for inches as per scale, with 12 lbs. added; aubscription griffine of 1893-94 allowed 7 lbe.; bona fide Polo ponies and backs allowed 12 lbs. Second to receive \$10 + third to save etake ; entrance. \$3.

Mr Ruck-Keene's Exchange, 11.9...... (Capt. Thomas) Mr J. D. Humphreys' Swift, 11.0 ..... (Mr Hart Buck) Me Copenhagen's Elmore, 12.5. ...... (Mr Neilsen)

A good race. Time-63 accs. however popular, could do with a dry Polo Scount, quarter mile; prize presented by the Polo Club; for all bona fide Polo ponies; catch weights over 12

at 7 lbs : second to save stake : entrance Mr Salop's Iron Duke ..... (Major Lyle) Captain Thomas Stonehenge, ... (Owner) Mr F. H. May's Sweet William, ......

(Capt. Murray) 3 Time, 334 secs.

ONE MILE HANDICAP, a forced entry for all

third to save stake. Mr Cruickshank's Haroc, 114 ..... Mr Taylor's Thunder boll, 11.3. (Owner)

Mr Carruthers' Nero, 11.8. ...... (Mr Cruickshank) figureial sense has been all that could be Mr Fraser Smith's Catterthun, 10.10 .... (Capt. Thomas) Time-2 mins. 17 secs.

THREE-QUARTER-MILE BACE, - prize pre sented; for subscription griffins of any year; weight for inches as per scale winners and placed ponies at any race meeting in Hongkong or China (Off Days not to count) 10 lbs, and 5 lbs. extra respectively; penaltica accumulative second to receive \$10; third to save stake ; entrance, \$3.

Mr Fraser Smith's Lauraland, 10.13 ... (Mr Taylor) ary has been endeavouring to help the Air David's Silver King, 12.7 Mr Ornickshank's Gungadeen, 11.0 ..... (Mr Oruickshan ) 3

Mr J. D. Humphreys' Vigilant, 10.12 ... (Mr Hart Buck) Mr Salop's Blaffum, 10 12 (Uapt. Hone) Mr Blank's Exile, 10.12 .... (Mr Master) 0 Tau Yu. They are both coolies. Vigilant was left at the post. Gungadeen led off, closely attended by Silver King. Entering the straight the two leaders away in the country. There is a head were running well together, as d if anything Silver King, notwithstanding the heavy weight he was carrying, seemed to have the best of the struggle. Quite quexpectedly, were also out. The shop was not closed. however, Leginsland, well ridden by Mr Taylor, came right through the field and slipped past the leaders, winning cloverly the eight open. The cockloft is used for by a head for second place. Time-1 min.

HURDLE BACK, prize presented; for al Chins ponies; once round; weight for inches as per scale; previous winners of a Steeplechase or Hurdle Race, 10 lbs. extra; second to receive \$10; third to anve stake; entrance, \$3.

Mr Salop's Signor, 10.11, (9 lbs over)... (Capt. Hunt) Mr Manners' Shifter, 10.13, (4 lbs over The Signor took the lead and won easily A tame performance.

SEVEN FURLORGE RADE, prize presented for all China ponice; weight for inches as per scale; provious winners and placed ponics at this meeting 12 lbs. and 6 lbs. extra respectively, hacks and polo ponica allowed 7 lha; second to requive \$10 ; third to save s'ake ; entrance, \$3. Mr Fraser Smith's Duart, 11.1 (Mr Taylor)

Mr Pug's Fidget, 11.1 ..... (Mr Manter) Mr Ruck-Keene's Exchange, 12.2 ..... Mr Copenhagen's Elemore, 11.7 Mr May's Maypole, 11.7 ..... (Mr May)

his two days imprisonment, and has was soon passed by Exchange and Fidgel, change a good third. Time-2 mins. 1 sec. | don; B.E.

LADIES NOMINATION RADE, three prizes presented by the Polo Club; saddle a pony on the course at the winning post; mount, ride round a post about yards distant ; return, dismount, and receive a cigar and a box of matches from a lady, light the eiger, mount, ride over the same course sgain; first past

winning post, with eiger slight, and girths tight, to win ; entrance, \$1. Muster (Mr G. C. O. Master)..... Mr Salop's Cloister, Nominated by Mrs Combe (Major Lyle) Mr Cruickshank's Banjo, Nominated by Miss Jackson (Owner) Mr F. H. May's Sweet William, Nominated by Mrs May (Owner.) ......

Mr J. G. Forbes' Bounerges, Nominated by Miss Murray (Owner) Mr Landale's Endeavour, Nominated by Mrs Hawkins (Owner) Mr Gedge's Pitcher, Nominated by Miss B. Hancock (Owner) Mr Strick's Mac, Nominated by Mrs Eyton (Owner).....

Mr Crinokshank was first away with girths flying loose. He was closely pursued by Major Lyle and Mr Master. Those three were first back to the post, but Mr Master got his cigar going first and was an easy first. Major Lyle was second and Mr Cruickshank third.

ponies; weight for inches as per scale; previous non-starters at this meeting lbs, extra : second to receive \$10 ; third to save stake ; entrance, \$3. Mr Taylor's Thunderbolt, 10.12, ......

(Mr Taylor) Mr Cruickshank's Havot, 11.4. (Mr Master) Mr Carrnthers' Nero, 11.1, ..... Mr France Smith's Duart, 11.1, ...... (Mr Hart Buck) Mr David's Silver King, 11.13,.... (Mr Manners)

Silver King and Gungadeen went off togother in front, but Gungadeen had the pleasure of leading for a time from Silver King, Thunderbolt third and Havor fourth. Have made an effor to get past at the Bridge, and he managed to get the lead going up the Hill. The Thunderbolt was his closest attendant at the Rock, and these two drew away from all the rest. Thunder: bolt seemed to hold his opponent easily and though Havoe made a great effort Mr Taylor did not need to ride out Thunder. The annual Sky Meeting of the Pole Club bolt, who won by a head. Nero was a

> THE FIRE IN BONHAM STRAND. A magisterial inquiry into the circumstances connected with the recent fire in Bouham Strand was held by Mr Wodehouse this afternoon.

Loung Yau, declared, said-I am a servant of the Tung Sing Tai oil shop, No. 136, Bonham Strand. On the the 4th April at about 9 p.m., I went up to the cockloft with a lamp to get some clothing to change as I was going to take a bath. When I got my clothing I left the lamp on the table and went down to the cookhouse to take my bath. While I was taking my bath I saw fire and smoke in the cockloft. I want out to the from of the shop and

called out ' Fire ' to the fokis. I also ran

out into the street and called out ' Fire' and called for police assistance. I went into the house sgain to try and extinguish China ponice entered at this meeting and we could not do anything. The cookgo to the winner; ascond to receive \$20; | cockloft only a short time. I took the clothing from a box and I bathed from a tub. I only rubbed myself with a cloth. I did not strip. I was in the kitchen about a quarter of an hour before the fire broke out. The lamp was an oil lamp. It was a round tin lamp without a chimney. It had no glass round it. The bath was in the middle of the cockloft. There was no other lamp in the cockloft but the one I took up. I do not know what caused the fire to break out. There were same bills filed up there near to the lamp. They may have caught are from the lamp. I do not know. It was a quarter of an bour before the fire broke out. I did not go up to the cockloft to see where the fre wee. I ran straight out of the shop. shop consists of the ground floor, to the cockloft only. There were only three people in the shop altogether, including my o self. The other two were Yeep To and master had gone out. The accountant was coolie, a salasman, balonging to the besides those I have mentioned. They

There were still four doors out by over a length. Gungadeen was besten sleeping only and for keeping boxes clothing. I do not know whether the boxes were saved or not. They are kept on the counter on the ground floor. The master keeps them.

are no suspicious circumstances so far as l know. The total loss at the fire, so far as Jones do ! He got back to Hendon as I have been able to accertain, is \$37,000. Quickly as possible, went to the booking. Humidity This covers all the policies that have been have been able to ascertain. I do not for a remand.

His Worship released the premises.

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IN THE OTTY DAY BY DAY.

London, February 28. The cause of the Roy, Pedr Williams remarkable disappearance is said to be financial embarrasaments. He has been subject to them from soon after his marriage, partly through illness in his family. The gentleman who saw him on the platform at Waterloo Station' was, apparently. mistaken in supposing that he accompanie his fellow passengers to America, for tolegram from Southampton states that the Rev. Mr Williams was not on passenger list of the a.s. Paris, nor do the officials recognize any such passenger described.

Another anarchist, a young French mochanic, was arrested in Marylebone yestorday, and was charged at Bow Street, on an extradition warrant, with burglary and wounding in France. He was an intimate friend of Bourdin who met his death at Green wich Observatory. A few days ago, in a well-known London

club, a member threw one thousand pounds in notes into the fire, thinking they were merely old letters. In this case the numhers had been kept, and the money will duly paid up by the Bank of England. The Liberator again ! James Balfour, on of Jabez, applied for his dis charge at the Court of Bankruptcy vestorday. His debts amount to over £14.000 and the assets are estimated CHAMPIONS, cup presented by D. R. Sas- to realize less than £900. At the time Bank his overdraft amounted to £3321 and he admitted that he knew at the time he drew the cheques he had not the means experience. In giving evidence, Mr Balfour said he left school at 17 and travelled

for twelve months; subsequently he had a deak in his father's room, and assisted in his transactions until the smash up of the Balfour companies. Until three months before the crisis he had no idea that the Balfour companies were in a critical position. He signed cheques at his father's instigation, but he fully believed his father would have recouped him. The shares he held in the Balfour Companies were purchased by the direction of his father. Counsel then urged that his client should be at once discharged, but the Registrar pointed out that the Official Receiver had the proceedings said to be threatened are reported two diences against him. Application was then made for adjournment. which was refused. The bankrupt's discharge was suspended for two years.

At a meeting of the National Education Association held the other day to protest against 'distinctive dogmatic teaching' and theological tests in Board Schools Sir G. Osborne Morgan, M.P. said :- The Principal of St. Mark's College, Chelses, had lately preached a sermon in which he was reported to have said, with commendable this £600,000. A little light will be thrown frankness, that he wished to have 'Chris- upon this claim when we state says the tianity taught in a Church way. a man thought that the gates of Heaven could only be unlocked by a Church doorkey, by all means let him provied that key; but, then, let him provide the key at |8s. 4d., represented to be upon toil painthis own expense-(applause)-but do not let him save his soul and his pocket at the same time by throwing the cost on other

February 24th. The amalgamation of banks has been frequent lately. This time it is the union of a private bank and a Company. Sir Samuel Scott and Co. have incorporated their banking business with that of Parr's. Banking Company and the Alliance Bank (Limited). The business will be conducted as heretofore, at No. 1, Cavendis-haquare. Scott's Bank was established in 1825.

A telegram dated, Buenes Ayres, Saturday evening, states that in the opinion of the Federal Attorney General Jabez Balfour's offences are of such a character directors may or may not have knowthat it would be better to hand him over to ledge of such a transaction. There are the British authorities under the ordinary however, circumstances affecting the bank the fire, but the water jar was short of water Federal law of 1885 rather than under the itself which the directors might ressonably recent Extradition treaty, and the telegram elucidate. (except in Races 2 and 7); entrance, \$1; house is on the ground floor; the cockloft to accept the Attorney General's suggestion extra; entrance fees with \$10 added to is also on the ground floor. I was in the without demur, and it is confidently believed that Jabez Balfour will soon be on his way to England in charge of Inspector Tonbridge and Sergeant Scragge. The latter officer arrived this marning from Liverpool, bringing documents calculated. if necessary, to strengthen the case against

the prisoner. Two cases of paltry meanness, the actors in which were 'too clever by half' and out-witted themselves, are commented on in the Daily Telegraph. A young man named Alfred Grace, when questioned by Mr Commissioner Kerr as to why he did not pay for his bicycle, replied, Because I'm an infant, or if I'm not now, I was when I made the contract.' The plaintiff's solicitors said, 'He ratified the infantile contract after he came of age.' The astute infant denied this allegation also, and was then asked by the learned Commissioner what proof had he of infancy. Mr 'Infant' Grace held up the certificate of birth and looked upon his case as won; but the judge remarked, . That proves nothing. Were you present when it was written. The infant was very much nonplussed and did not know what to do. It was not he who wrote the certificate, he was no present wh m it was written, and he dis not know the gentleman whose caligraphy was on the document. You see, remarked the judge encouragingly, 'that bit of paper does not prove anything. You must bring somebody to prove that you were born on the date you say, else we can't hold you to be an infant as appearances go. The D. T. continues, the young man went away very sorrowful, and was given one month to produce somebody to prove that he was really born. Mr William Jones of Alvington Crescent.

Dalston, is not ar 'infant,' and is old

enough to know it's a foolish as well as a dirty trick to try to cheat a railway company. Nevertheless he travelled from Hendon to Kentish Town and at the latter station he said he had already sgiven up his ticket. The Inspector Baker, sworn, said-There Midland Railway officials did not believe him, and this is what the D. T. says about the matter: What did the far-seeing Mr office, and took a ticket for Kentish Town. Direction of ] "That's all right now," he probably said to effected on the different houses, so for as I himself as he left the station; and when he ask | was in Marylebone Police-court on Saturday to answer a charge of travelling on the line without a ticket, he calmly produced bis after thought pasteboard and remarked gave it up, but that was a mistake." But the officials at Kentish Town Station had foressen exactly what Mr Jones would do. tion, Nerve Debility. Specially useful in hot, and had talegraphed to the booking clerk depressing climates or malarious districts. Everyone should keep up strength by taking Peppers's | tickets to Kentish Town. Result—the clerk was able to prove that by the ten o'clock train in which Mr Jones travelled To THE DRAY. Herbert Chifton's new system. no ticket was issued, but at about twenty minutes past one that gentleman called at the booking office and purchased the ticket numbered 7,396, and curiously endogh these were the very figures on the card. board which the defendant produced in court for his own exculpation. Mr Jones fell into the trap he had himself made, and was fined the full penalty of 40s with 2s costs alternative seven days in gaol. Mad as a haller is a common parase. If Mr A. E. Raigin is mad there is reason

or method in his madness. Mr Reisin who keeps a hatter's shop in Barking Road was charged with keeping a lottery contrary to atatute. In October last the defendant exhibited in his shop window an enormous candle, near which was a notice setting forth that on Nov. 25, and every night after, the candle would be lit at six o clock, and blown out at blue o'clock except on Saturdays, when it would be extinguished at eleven o'clock, and that the person, who guessed the exact time or the hearest to the exact time when the candle went out would receive a cheque for two guiness. There were a number of other prizes -- cash and hats and anyone could enter the coulpetition by going into the shop and asking for a form on which he was to supply his name and address, and the time he thought the candle would go out. By directions of Scotland Yard defendant was told the competition was illegal, but he said his solidtor was not of that opinion. The candle was lit at six o'clock on the night of Nov. 25, and went out at half-past six on the night of Jan. 26, the winner of the cheque being a young man named Rostroack, o Bestrice-street, Canning Town.-Mr Wont ner asked that the defendant be dealt with as a rogue and a vagabond. After hearing counsel on both sides the Magistrate, M Baggallay, gave his decision. He said he was of opinion that this was not a lotters within the meaning of the Lottery Acta The intention of those Acts was to put a soon, Esq; 11 miles; for all Chius the failure of the London and General stop to certain forms of gambling in which that good luck would bring them a prize. In this case the competitors paid nothing. of paying them. Counsel on Mr Balfour's and risked nothing. The defendant rebehalf submitted that bankruptcy was the ceived no money. His only object was to result of his client's youth and in- advertise his hat shop, and in that he are Dears to have been successful. The cas

would be dismissed. The Investors' Review, The Lordy Charnicle and the Sun return to their attack on the Old Lady of T. S. to-day. Tounnot do more to-night than give the following outting from the Sun !- The reticebee of the Bank of England directors, with regard to Mr Adrian Hope's unfortunate transcrion with the institution, is giving imported to the gossip which has prevailed. Trust worthy details of the case are not widely a, and full particulars may (not) per-

kut haps, be divulged unless in a law cours, it undertaken. It would appear that sir of seven years ago Mr Hops had tree and un encumbered securities lying at the Bank of England to the value of not far short of £500,000. When recently the various trust disclosures created such a sensation: is transpired that Mr Hope had best granted advances by the bank to the extent of fully £600,000. Quita recently the bank made a claim for the repayment of about £350,000, the unsecured balance of Well, if Chronicle, that on the 13th inst. Mr Hope granted a bill of sale in favour of the Bank of England, which was filed on Tuesday in last week. The amount is for £318,501 inge, to which we should shink an dec might be added. It is perhaps too much to expect that the directors of the Bank of England will state all that they know with respect to the circumstances that have wrought so disastrous a change in Mir Hope's financial position through his investments at the bank Parhaps at the next half-yearly meeting of proprietors some information may be elicited. Whe ther that may be so or not; we think that some official statement is called for section that in some respects the circumstation are of far more interest to the general public than to the holders of bank stock. it is even stated, on what appears to be excellent authority, that Mr Hope ramunersted the late eashier of the bank for the interest he took in his investments. The

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A certain farmer, began the lawyer, was troubled with a red squirrel that got | February, 1889, he read in a newspaper of a case in through a hole in his barn and stole his like his own having been cured by Mother seed corn. He resolved to kill the squirrel Seigel's Curative Syrup, but masmuch as the at the first opportunity. Seeing him go in | best medical advice in London was of no use, the hole one moon, he took his shotgan and what could be expected from an advertised mefired away. The first shot set the barn on | dicine? "Nothing, of course," said Mr. Lang-

Did the barn burn?' said one of the

And seeing the barn on fire the farmer solved a pail of water and ran to put it Did he put it out?' said another. As he passed inside, the door shut to

and the barn was soon in flames. When the hired girl rushed out with more Did they all burn up?' said-another-

The lawyer went on without answer-

Then the old lady came out, and all was noise and confusion and everybody was trying to not out the fire.' Did any one burn up?' said snother. The lawyer said: 'There, that will do:

you have all shown great interest in the But observing one little bright-eyed fellow in deep silence, he said: 'Now, my little man, what have you to say?' The little fellow blushed, grew uneasy, and stammered out : 'I want to know what

becime of that squirrel; that's what want to know. "You'll do,' said the lawyer; 'you are my man; you have not been switched off y a confusion and barn burning and the hird girls and water pails. You have kept your eye on the squirrel. — Tact in

CURIOSITIES OF DIAMONDS. Romantic incidents invariably envelop the history of all great diamonds, and perhaps the most remarkable is the story of the De Sanoy gem. The most curious and eventful history of any precious stone, as regards both size and value, is associated with the magnificent and famous Kob-i-Noor diamond. The Koh-i-Noor, or Mountain of Light, is stated by the Hindoos to have been discovered in the mines of Golconda more than three thousand years ago, and to have been originally in the possession of Kama, King of Auga. Another version states that it was stolen from one of the kings of Goloanda by a treacherous general named Mininrola, and presented by him to the Great Mogul, Shah Jehan, the father of Aurungzebe, about the year 1640. It was then rough and unout, and about twice its present size; but Shah Jehan gave it to a dismond-worker, who cut it so badly that he wasted half of it, and did not display its lustre to good advantage. The Mcgulthe admiration and amazement it always not exceed Two Feet Cubic in measureexcited. From that time until it came into | ment. the possession of the Khan of Cabul, at the commencement of the present century, the Koh-i-Noor changed hands many times. Runject Singh obtained it from the Khan in a mean and abominable way. He had heard that the Khan of Cabul had the finest and purest diamond ever seen, and he determined to possess it. The Khan was invited by the intending thief; he arrived at the Court of his host with-not the diamond, but a very clever imitation. Once in Runject Singh's power, that despot at once demanded the gem. It was reluctantly given

less. He was so enraged at this, that he ordered the Khan's palace to be ransacked from top to bottom to find the missing treasure. At last a slave betrayed his master, and showed the diamond lying under a heap of ashes. Runject carried it off in triumph, and subsequently decked himself, and occasionally his horse, with its splendid brilliancy. When he died the gem passed into the hands of his successors; and in 1850, when we conquered the Punjaub, the Koh-i-Noor was among the spoil. It was brought to England and presented to Her Majesty the Queen by the East India Company. The stone was subsequently ontrusted to Messrs Coster, of Amsterdam, to be re-out a work that occupied the labours of thirty-eight days of twelve hours each and the late Duke of Wellington became an amateur diamond-outter for this memorable coasion by giving the first touch to the work. A model of it may be seen in the British Museum. - Mr H. J. Gibbins, in the Gentleman's Magazine.

up, and sent to the Court jewellers to be

out. Runjeet Sing soon received intelligence

that the stone was comparatively worth-

"GOOD ADVICE AND A WOODEN LEG. If I hadn't given my friend Jim Smalley the best piece of advice one young fellow could give another we should be friends still—that is, if Jim could have lived without the advice. This may sound rather strange and mixed to you, but We all right when you take it by the handle. You see it was this way. Jim was a handsome chap, 25 years old, foppish and dressy, fond of society, had plenty of money, but with the seeds of consumption in him. Got 'em from his mother, who died of it.

Well, Jim began to cough, and run down hill fast, The doctors couldn't help him, and told like so. One day he was talking to me about it, and actually broke down and cried, "Jim," says I, "there's just one chance for you, and I want you to jump for it right away. That's to go out West in America and live on the slopes of the Rocky Mountains, in the pine woods, in a but or a tent, and stay there till you are dead or wall. Don't write to me for a year, then come back or let me hear from you."

Bidding a sad farewell to the young girl he was engaged to be married to, Jim went. Two years afterwards I met him in town; he was as hearty as a buck, but walked with a limp. He had lest his right leg, below the knee, in a hebt with a grazily bear, and now hobbico around on a wooden one. "And its all your fault," he said, "If it hadn't been for your sivice I'd never gone there. Now Edith won't many me. Bays she don't want a husband with wooden leg, and I don't want a friend who gave me the wooden leg."

Well, there I was payer so taken aback. My advice had saved Jim's life and restored his health, yet because he couldn't have two sound lege and a wife besides, he threw me overboard. I vowed I'd never give anybody a bit of good advice again. I'd let 'em die first. But that's where I was heaty and wrong. It is a man's duty to keep on doing good, whether people are grateful or not ! Here is Mr. Frank Stanley Langman. His wife gave him a piece of good advice, and he was sensible enough to act on it. In June, 1882, it was that he fell ill. He felt week, tired, and weary without kny outside reason for it. His appetite was poor, there was a bitter teste in his mouth, and a bad pain in the chest and sigmach after eating. Sometimes he would break out into a sweat and feel so prostraied he'd have to lie down. It was feared he had some kind of internal tumour. Once he had en attack at the railway station, and people crowded round him, thinking he was dying.

During mother black he kissed his child, believing his time hall come. A doctor examined him for heart disease, but couldn't find any. He CHAN A FOOK, av WATHING & Co., edvised Langman to take only milk and brandy,

will and water, and such slops. Still he had those frightful periodic attacks. After attending him some time, the doctor said, "I can't find out what is the matter with you; you had better see a West End physician." Mr. Langman did so, and the West End doctor said the patient's liver made too much bile, and ordered medicine . and a milk diet.

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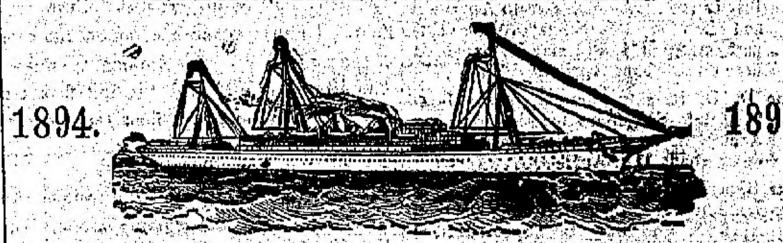
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